

**SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS:**

Please replace the first paragraph, beginning on the top of page 12 with the replacement paragraph, beginning on the next page.

Attached to a shaft that is driven by, or drives, the drive gear 18 is a mass 24. The mass 24 adds rotational inertia to the drive gear 18 when it is being pedaled. The mass 24 can be attached to a crank, thereby acting as a flywheel. This smoothes out the generation of electrical power and it also provides a smoother ride on the road, an unexpected benefit that is described in greater detail hereinafter. A modified mass 24a may also be attached to a rear wheel 34 to further increase rotational inertia.